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VIEMBER AGENCY OF THE METROPOLITAN WATER DISTRICT FOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

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Delta Stewardship Council 980 Ninth Street, Suite 1500 Sacramento, California 95814

Re: Request to Include Alternate Delta Plan in the EIR

Dear Chairman Isenberg and Council Members:

Las Virgenes Municipal Water District (LVMWD) respectfully asks that the Delta Stewardship Council include the Alternate Delta Plan forwarded by a coalition of agencies and organizations representing the interests of water agencies, businesses, and farms from throughout the state to be included in the draft EIR currently being prepared.

The Alternate Delta Plan takes a comprehensive approach at achieving the co-equal goals that were stated in the enabling legislation; we believe the Alternate Delta Plan warrants full discussion by the Council.

LVMWD believes including the Alternate Delta Plan as a project alternative in the draft EIR will ensure the Council has a complete range of options to consider as it formulates the final Delta Plan by the Jan. 1, 2012, deadline.

Accordingly, we request that Council include the Alternate Delta Plan in its entirety as a project alternative in the draft EIR for the Delta Plan.

We remain committed to working with the Council as a partner in developing a plan that can further the achievement of the co-equal goals of ecosystem restoration and water supply reliability.

Sincerely,

John R. Mundy General Manager

